

Salem Ebenezer Reformed Church

LORD'S DAY

October 27, 2024 10 a.m.

Rev. James Grossmann

Prelude Michelle Grossmann

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship: Psalm 32

***Hymn 403** "Not What My Hands Have Done"

*Salutation and Invocation

Hymn 505 "All the Way My Savior Leads Me"

The Belgic Confession #27 (see insert in the bulletin)

Congregational Prayer

***Hymn 268** "Christ is Made the Sure Foundation"

Scripture Reading and Text: Ephesians 4:1-16

Sermon title: "**Gifted for One Another**"

*Prayer of Application (concluded with Lord's Prayer in unison)

Hymn 280 "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord (Tune of #588)"
(Tithes and Offerings Collected)

*Benediction

*Doxology (Pg. xvi) (*congregation stands if possible)

Church Calendar

Sunday	Today	After service	Fellowship Time
Monday	Oct. 28	6:30 p.m.	Choir rehearsal
Thursday	Oct. 31	3:45 p.m.	Confirmation Class
Sunday	Nov. 3	6 p.m.	Family Bible Class

We welcome all **visitors** who are worshiping with us today. Please sign the Guest Register in the Fellowship Hall and join us again soon!

Announcements

Those wishing to **contact Rev. Grossmann** for spiritual or other needs can call him on his cell phone at 1-605-228-6508. The home phone number is 920-726-4464.

PRAY for Myrt Vetter, who has been placed in hospice care.

The annual congregational **church cleaning** will be on Friday, Nov. 8. If unable to attend that day see Carolyn for another time during that week. Sheets will be available to cross off any job that has been completed.

A signup sheet is available in the fellowship hall to order **t-shirts or sweatshirts** specially designed with our church's message on the front and back. See Kayla Shillcox for more information.

We are looking for an **outdoor custodian** to take care of grass cutting, snow removal, etc. See Pastor Grossmann or one of the elders for more information.

Happy Birthday – Today to Pastor James Grossmann, and on Tuesday to Rebecca Konik.

Happy Anniversary – Wednesday to David and Rebecca Konik.

Operation Christmas Child will be starting today, through Nov. 24.

Our Sunday worship services are available on live stream at <http://tinysa.com/live/salem>

Rev. James Grossmann
“Gifted for One Another”
Ephesians 4:1-16

Theme: Christ Gives His People Gifts to Use to Build the Unity of His Church.

- I. God’s People are Called to Walk in Humility and Unity, Worthy of God’s Calling – vv. 1-10
 - A. As a Prisoner, Paul Calls God’s People to Walk Worthy of God’s Calling – v. 1
 - B. Called to Walk in Lowliness, Gentleness, Patience, and Unity – vv. 2-3
 - C. Unity around One God in One Church – vv. 4-7
 - D. For Christ to Ascend Far Above the Heavens, He First Had to Descend into the Lower Parts of the Earth – vv. 8-10
- II. The Ascended, Glorified Christ Gives Gifts to Us for Ministry to His Church – vv. 11-16
 - A. In Ascending, Christ Led Captivity Captive and Gave Gifts to Equip Us for Ministry – vv. 8, 11-13
 - B. The Gifts Christ Gives Us for One Another – vv. 13-15
 - C. Using Christ’s Gifts for the Edification and Unifying of Christ’s Body – v. 16